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Mr. Fred Micke, On-Scene Coordinator
US Environmental Protection Agency - Region 5

RE: Monthly Progress Report for May 2004, 221 N. Columbus Drive, Chicago, Illinois - STS Project No. 1-32193-XC

Dear Mr. Micke:

In accordance with the Work Plan<sup>1</sup> STS Consultants, Ltd. (STS) is providing a monthly progress report that identifies the actions taken in May and activities planned for June 2004.

## **ACTIVITIES COMPLETED IN MAY 2004**

- 1. Surveying for radiologically-impacted soil was performed on only one day in May for a utility related excavation conducted at the Shoreham site located within the north slip (slip D). No evidence of radiologically-impacted soil was observed.
- 2. No radiologically impacted soils were handled or excavated in May 2004. Therefore, neither personal nor area air monitoring was conducted.

## **PLANNED ACTIVITIES FOR JUNE 2004**

- 1. There are no specific dates planned for conducting excavation activities that will expose subsurface soil within the former slip areas. However, surveying for radiologically-impacted soil will be conducted within the slip areas if excavation occurs. The USEPA will be notified upon discovery of any radiologically-impacted materials. Following USEPA notification, excavation activities will take place to remediate radiologically-impacted soil as necessary. The USEPA will be requested to conduct verification surveys and sign-off that the areas have been successfully remediated.
- 2. Monthly reports will to be submitted to the USEPA until approval of the closure report.

Please contact us at 847-279-2500 with any questions regarding this report.

Regards,

STS CONSULTANTS, LTD.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> STS (revised September 30, 2002) Work Plan for Investigation and Removal of Radiologically Impacted Soil, Lakeshore East LLC, 221 N. Columbus Drive, Chicago, Illinois.